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COUNTRY <u>Polish-occupied Germany</u>	REPORT
TOPIC <u>Construction of Field Fortifications by Polish Troops near Wigandstal</u>	
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1. Polish troops began the construction of field fortifications in the woods between Wigandstal and the Czech border in early January 1950. The border area was off limits for civilians.
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- Polish 2d Lt Szenzky was in charge of the construction work in a section of the woods. 50X1-HUM
- the fortifications included wire obstacles. 50X1-HUM

Comment:

It is considered possible that measures facilitating border control, such as barbed-wire entanglements, AT ditches across roads, guard stations, etc. may have been taken along the Polish-Czech border also.

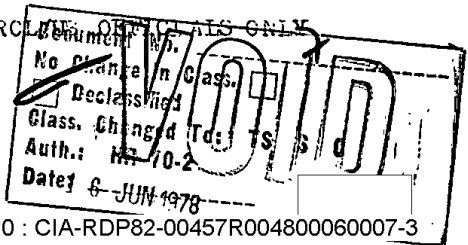
It is not considered possible, however, that field fortifications of any value for military defense purposes should have been constructed in that area.

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